LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY**, **MARCH 21, 2006**, upon the application of **WINCHESTER PRODUCTION CO**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Cotton Valley Formation**, **Reservoir A**, in the Longwood Field, Caddo Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To permit the applicant to drill, designate and utilize two (2) additional alternate unit wells, one (1) of which is in exception to the 123-A-2 Series of Office of Conservation Orders for the production of gas and condensate from the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the unit designated CV RA SUQ, such unit and proposed alternate unit wells shown on the plat submitted with the application.
- 2. To find that alternate unit wells, at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application, are shown to assist in the efficient and effective drainage of the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the unit designated CV RA SUQ that cannot be drained by any other well located therein.
- 3. To permit the unit operator to produce the assigned unit allowable from the unit well, the alternate unit well or from a combination of all wells at its discretion.
- 4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 123-A-2, effective September 20, 1958.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 3/6/06;3/9/06 S dnp

IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.